

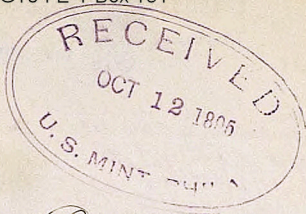
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Gents Since
 I received your remittance
 for that Gold I have
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 is a screw loose somewhere
 and I propose to get
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mine
of these bars both willing
Lester Sands, Jeweller, Cleveland, Ohio
still claiming a mistake in the mint's report
of Gold refined, that is in 20 new time
want another reply
that the Gold could not
assay less than 14K at
the least in all that
lot I did not put
in over 50 dwts of 10K
and none that was
of any lower Karat
the balance was 14, & 1/8
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give this your prompt
attention and oblige
me with an early reply
I remain Yours
I sent you 524⁵⁰ worth of Gold
R. Sands

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Since I received your remittance for that gold I have not rested easy there is a screw loose somewhere and I propose to get my rights if I have to get an attorney to do it. I consider it an outrage I have since I wrote my last letter seen the refiner who melted the gold and another Jewelry Smith before whom I tested both butts. They are both willing to take a solemn oath that the Gold could not assay less than less than 14K at the least in all that lot I did not put in over 50 dwt. Of 10K and none that was of any lower Karat the balance was 14, & 18 K and a few Large English Gold pieces and how such a lot of Gold of 820 Dwt. will only bring 398.00. I fail to understand please given this your prompt attention and oblige me with an early reply.

I remain yours,
L. Sands

I sent you \$524.80 worth of gold.